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It is certified that errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

# COLUMN 1:

Line 67, "pick" should read -- picking --.

### COLUMN 13:

Line 45, "on lengthwisely" should read -- lengthwise on --.

## COLUMN 18:

Line 42, "claims 1 to 9," should read -- claims 1 to 11, --.

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